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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: WT Docket No. 02-55  
*Ex Parte Presentation*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Tuesday, January 13, 2004, Bruce Cox, Nextel Communications, Inc. ("Nextel"), and David Rudd, consultant to Nextel, met with Paul Margie, Spectrum and International Legal Advisor, Office of Commissioner Copps, regarding the Commission's above-captioned rulemaking on public safety communications in the 800 MHz band. During this meeting, they discussed the urgent need to adopt the Consensus Plan as a means of resolving CMRS – public safety interference and providing additional spectrum for public safety communications. In particular, Nextel's representatives described the extensive support for the Consensus Plan in the public safety community and elsewhere. Attached to this letter is a copy of a list of Consensus Plan Supporters provided to Mr. Margie at this meeting.

Pursuant to section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(b)(2), this letter and the attachment are being filed electronically for inclusion in the public record of the above-referenced proceeding.

Sincerely,

/s/ Regina M. Keeney  
Regina M. Keeney

cc: Paul Margie

Attachment

# **There's a Reason It's Called the Consensus Plan**

## **Consensus Plan Supporters**

### **PUBLIC SAFETY ORGANIZATIONS**

Association of Public Safety Communications Officials, Intl.	Major Cities Chiefs Association
International Association of Chiefs of Police	Major County Sheriffs' Association
International Association of Fire Chiefs, Inc.	National Sheriffs' Association
International Municipal Signal Association	

### **PUBLIC SAFETY & LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

American Assoc. of State Highway & Trans. Officials	Littleton Police Department, Massachusetts
Annandale Fire Department, Virginia	Louisiana State Fire Marshall
Arlington Fire Department, Virginia	Louisiana State Police Department
Baker Police Department, Louisiana	Lumberton Fire Department, North Carolina
Bay County, Florida	Madison, Wisconsin
Boston Mayor Thomas Menino, Massachusetts	Malden Fire Department, Massachusetts
Boston Police Department, Massachusetts	Marshfield Fire Department, Wisconsin
Bristol Fire Department, Virginia	Maryland State Fire Chiefs' Association
Burleson, Texas	Massachusetts Chiefs of Police Association
Cambridge, Massachusetts	Massachusetts MetroFire
Chesapeake, Virginia	Medford Fire Department, Massachusetts
City and County of Denver, Colorado	Miami, Florida (Former City Commissioner, J. Sanchez)
Clarksburg Fire Department, West Virginia	Miami-Dade County, Florida
Columbus, Ohio	Milford Police Department, Massachusetts
Columbus Fire Department, Mississippi	Minneapolis Fire Department, Minnesota
Connecticut Department of Public Safety	Mobile Fire Department, Alabama
Contra Costa County, California	National Association of Counties
Dale City Fire Department, Virginia	National Association of State Foresters
Dane County, Wisconsin	National Association of Telecom. Officers & Advisors
Denham Springs, Louisiana	National League of Cities
Dixon Fire Department, Illinois	National Public Safety Telecommunications Council
Estero Fire Department, Florida	New Hartford, New York
Everett, Washington	New Haven, Connecticut
Federal Way Fire Department, Washington	New York State Professional Fire Fighters Association
Fireman's Association of the State of New York	New York State Association of P.B.A.'s
Florida Agricultural & Mechanical University Police Dept	New York State Association of Fire Chiefs
Florida Highway Patrol	New York State Fire Department
Florida Police Benevolent Association	New York Office of Technology
Florida State University Police Department	Norfolk Police Department, Massachusetts
Forestry Conservation Communications Association	North Highline Fire Department, Seattle, Washington
Fremont, California	North Kingston, Rhode Island
Ft. Lauderdale, Florida	North Myrtle Beach, South Carolina
Greater Boston Police Council	Ogden City, Utah
Greenwich, Connecticut	Orange, Texas
Grenada Fire Department, Mississippi	Orange County, California
Grove City Fire Department, Ohio	Orange County, Florida

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### **Consensus Plan Supporters**

Hall County, Georgia  
Hamilton County, Ohio  
Hanover, Virginia  
Hartsville, South Carolina  
Hollywood, Florida  
Hopewell Police Department, Virginia  
International Association of Emergency Managers  
Jones County, Mississippi  
Kernersville Fire Department, North Carolina  
King County Regional Communications Board  
Kirkland, Washington  
Lambert-St. Louis International Airport, Missouri  
Lee County, Florida  
Leon County, Florida  
Sacramento, California  
Salem, Oregon - Communications Division  
San Francisco Fire Department  
Savannah Fire Department, Georgia  
Somerville Police Department, Massachusetts  
South Jordan, Utah  
Southeastern Association of Fire Chiefs  
State of Montana Department of Administration  
State of Ohio MARCS Program  
Statesville Fire Department, North Carolina  
Tallahassee, Florida  
Tallahassee Fire Department, Florida  
Trooper Foundation of New York  
Truro Police Department, Massachusetts

Oregon Council of Police Associations  
Oregon State Fire Fighters Council  
Palm Harbor, Florida  
Pickaway County, Ohio  
Plano, Texas  
Portland Police Department, Oregon  
Providence, Rhode Island  
Province Healthcare, Tennessee  
Provo, Utah  
Puyallup Fire Department, Washington  
Radford Fire Department, Virginia  
Revere Police Department, Massachusetts  
Richfield Fire Department  
Rock Hill Fire Department, South Carolina  
Tualatin Valley, Oregon & Western Fire Chiefs Assoc.  
Tupelo Fire Department, Mississippi  
U.S. Conference of Mayors  
Upper Arlington Fire Department, Ohio  
Vero Beach Fire Department, Florida  
Village of Woodridge, Illinois  
Virginia Fire Chiefs Association  
Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs  
Weirton Fire Department, West Virginia  
Wilmington Fire Department, North Carolina  
Winchester Fire Department, West Virginia  
Winston-Salem Fire Department, North Carolina  
Worcester, Massachusetts

### **CONGRESSIONAL REPRESENTATIVES**

Senator Bill Frist  
Senator Tom Daschle (D-SD)  
Senator George Allen (R-VA)  
Representative James Langevin (D-RI)  
Representative John Doolittle (R-CA)  
Representative Ellen Tauscher (D-CA)

Representative Ed Markey (D-MA)  
Sen. Burns, Sen. Baucus & Rep. Rehburg (MO)  
Representative John Peterson (R-PA)  
Representative Bob Ney (R-OH)  
Representative Mike Rogers (R-MI)  
Representative Curt Weldon (R-PA)

### **STATE SENATORS**

Senator Alex Diaz de la Portilla (R-FL)

Senator Dale Volker (R – NY)

### **STATE REPRESENTATIVES**

Representative Mike Krusee (R-TX)

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## **Consensus Plan Supporters**

### **PRIVATE CITIZENS**

Ambler, Pennsylvania  
Aledo, Illinois  
Arizona City, Arizona  
Beaverton, Oregon  
Bel Air, Maryland  
Birmingham, Alabama  
Bluebell, Pennsylvania  
Bluffdale, Utah  
Boca Raton, Florida  
Boulder Creek California  
Brandenton, Florida  
Bridgewater, New Jersey  
Bridgewater, Pennsylvania  
Bridgewater, Pennsylvania  
Cary, North Carolina  
Clarence Center, New York  
Columbus, Ohio  
Covington, Louisiana  
Fairfax, Virginia  
Feeding Hills, Massachusetts  
Frankfort, Kentucky  
Franklin Park, New Jersey  
Garland, Texas  
Montclair, California  
Nashville, Tennessee  
New York, New York  
Odessa, Delaware  
Old Bridge, New Jersey  
Olympia, Washington  
Palm Harbor, Florida  
Pinchurst, Georgia  
Piscataway, New Jersey  
Portland, Maine  
Reinbeck, Iowa  
River Ridge, Louisiana  
Rock Hill, South Carolina  
Rogers City, Michigan  
Roseville, Minnesota  
Salt Lake City, Utah  
San Angelo, Texas  
Santa Fe, Texas

Georgetown, Indiana  
Great Falls, Virginia  
Greensburg, Pennsylvania  
Hanover, New Hampshire  
Hermosa, California  
Hialeah, Florida  
Hillsboro, Oregon  
Holland, New York  
Houston, Texas  
Joliet, Illinois  
Lacombe, Louisiana  
Latham, New York  
Lawrence, Kansas  
Leesburg, Virginia  
Lexington, Massachusetts  
Lexington Tennessee  
Libertyville, Illinois  
Lubbock, Texas  
Mandeville, Louisiana  
McMinnville, Oregon  
Metairie, Louisiana  
Metter, Georgia  
Miamisburg, Ohio  
Sarasota, Florida  
Smithville, Tennessee  
South Jordan, Utah  
South Salt Lake, Utah  
Temple, Texas  
Titusville, Florida  
Toledo, Ohio  
Union, Montana  
Urbana, Illinois  
Vero Beach, Florida  
Waretown, New Jersey  
West Hempstead, New York  
West Jordan, Utah  
West Orange, New Jersey  
West Valley, Utah  
Williamson, West Virginia  
Woodridge, Illinois  
York, Pennsylvania

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### **PRIVATE WIRELESS & CMRS ORGANIZATIONS**

Aeronautical Radio, Inc.  
American Mobile Telecom. Assn.  
American Petroleum Institute

Association of American Railroads  
Forest Industries Telecommunications

### **PRIVATE WIRELESS & EQUIPMENT PROVIDERS**

Airtel Wireless  
Action Communications  
Apache Corporation  
Battles Communications  
BearCom  
Bell Interconnect  
Blue Mountain Communications  
Business Communications Corp.  
Business Radio, Inc.  
CNY, Inc.  
Coastal Electronics  
Columbia Communications  
Commtronics of Virginia  
Communications and Industrial Electronic Corp.  
Federal Express  
G & P Communications  
Graybill Electronics  
Highland Wireless Services  
IE Communications  
Intel Corporation  
JPJ Electronic Communications  
Ka-Comm  
KLL Wireless

Louisiana Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association  
Lucent Technologies  
Miller Communications  
Monroe Communications  
Motient Communications  
New York Communications  
North Sight Communications  
Northwest Airlines  
Ohio Valley 2-Way Radio  
P&R Communications Service  
PCIA, The Wireless Infrastructure Association  
Taxicab, Limousine and Paratransit Association  
Nextel Communications  
Radio Service Company  
Ragan Communications  
Skitronics  
Skyline Communications  
Smartlink Communications  
SR Communications Associates  
Sutter Buttes Communications  
Telecommunications NA, BP  
United Airlines  
Wells Communications Service